

Kalamazoo County Area Schools Employment Consortium

Employment Application

Openings as of 1/18/2022

Head Start Associate Teacher (5 positions)

JobID: 6474_

Position Type:

Support Staff/Teacher Assistant

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Date Posted:

10/28/2020

Location:

KRESA/Head Start

Closing Date:

06/10/22

Division:

Head Start GSRP

Position Type:

Full-time, 10-Month (Job Grade 11e)

Responsibilities:

Assists the teacher in the instruction of 3- or 4-year-old children in a school setting by performing the duties listed below. Associate teacher assists the teacher in planning and implementing a healthy, safe, and developmentally appropriate learning environment for pre-school children that promote developmental gains toward the attainment of kindergarten readiness skills as defined in the Head Start Performance Standards, within an MTSS framework. Teacher professionalism in the classroom, with families, the community and with staff serve as a model of excellence.

Qualifications:

A high school diploma or equivalent with a minimum of one course that earns college credit in child development or early childhood education, and the ability to obtain a Child Development Associate Credential within 24 months from the date of hire. Knowledge of and/or experience with pre-school children and the ability to work with

children of all abilities. The ability to communicate with adults in a professional work setting is necessary.

Embraces and supports KRESA philosophies related to diversity, inclusiveness and anti-racism. Ability to interact effectively with individuals from a wide range of cultures. Ability to discuss cultural differences with colleagues and clients. Ability to assess one's own strengths and limitations or challenges and integrate this understanding into interpersonal interactions.

Preferred Skills:

An associate's degree (AA) in early childhood education or child development or the equivalent. A valid classroom CDA credential. An existing 120 Hour approval.

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